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And the lucky bachelor is...



photo by Missy Young

Mike Reitter, Weirton junior, Michael Cheshire, Bridgeport sophomore, and Doug Sandy, Parkersburg sophomore, took part in the Christian Dating Game at the Campus Christian Center as part of a Jesus Week celebration. Sandy was the lucky bachelor.

Contractor selected to expand bookstore

by KENT P. CASSELLA
reporter

University officials are in the final stages of awarding the contract for the university bookstore expansion project.

Pending University System of West Virginia Board of Trustees approval, the final contract will be awarded the first part of May, said Ray Welty, director of auxiliary services.

The contractor selected for the construction of the addition to the existing Memorial Student Center bookstore is

Childers Construction of Guyandotte, said Dr. K. Edward Grose, senior vice president for operations.

Childers Construction was selected with a completion bid of \$1,321,759 for the project, Welty said. According to reports from Grose's office, Childers Construction under-bid the nearest competitive contractor, P.J. Dick, Inc. of Pittsburgh, Pa., by \$153,811.

Childers Construction was chosen over four other contractors in the final selection process, Grose said.

The total cost estimate for

the project is \$1,440,759, Welty said. This total includes estimates for two contracts. The first contract is for Childers construction of the addition. The second is an additional \$119,000 contract for the removal of asbestos from the job site.

Welty said the university has an open-ended contract with Master Mechanical for removal of asbestos insulation on campus.

"You never know what you are going to run into in terms of asbestos insulation," he see **EXPAND**, page 6

Underwood signs university merger

by NICOLE M. WRIGHT
reporter

Marshall's "Day at the Legislature" Wednesday included discussion of such issues as tuition breaks for higher education employees' family members and establishment of a campus pre-grievance reviewers' panel.

Governor Cecil Underwood signed the bill to merge West Virginia Graduate College (WVGC) with Marshall University during a picnic at the Governor's Mansion which also honored Marshall's football and women's basketball teams.

Marshall representatives, who discussed key issues on the agenda of Joe Wyatt, psychology professor and member of faculty legislative affairs committee, met in front of the Student Center 8:30 a.m. Wednesday. There were 10 students and faculty attending the trip.

When the group arrived at the Capitol building, they met with Sen. Robert H. Plymale from Wood County. He invited them to his office to discuss the key issues that were on Wyatt's agenda.

The first issue discussed was the tuition break for higher education employees' family members.

Del. Susan Hubbard from Cabell County joined

the discussion at Plymale's office to discuss the issue of tuition breaks.

Hubbard said she would check into tuition breaks for higher education employees' families.

"I think tuition breaks for higher education employees' families would make Marshall more attractive and benefit the employee," Hubbard said.

Wyatt went through the grievance process beginning in 1986 and brought about the issue of a campus pre-grievance reviewers' position.

He emphasized that the present internal grievance procedure does not solve the problem because sometimes the investigative reports are ignored by others.

"I would like to see a grievance panel review the case instead of the president of the university," Wyatt said.

Sen. Plymale said he did not think a panel would be able to decide on a grievance without the university president's control.

Jamil M. Chaudri, computer science professor, said the university needs an informal grievance system where a person who has been through a grievance in the past can consult others.

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'The Verve Pipe' to perform in Huntington

by REGINA FISHER
reporter

"The Verve Pipe," an alternative band from East Lansing, Michigan, will perform at the Huntington Civic Arena as the opening event for Spring Fest '97.

The five member band will perform at 8 p.m. Monday, and the concert is sponsored by Campus Entertainment Unlimited and the Office of Student Activities. "Thin Lizard" is also scheduled to perform as a special guest band.

"Marshall students get the first 2000 seats, which includes the seating closest to the stage," said Andy Hermansdorfer, director of student activities.

Hermansdorfer said the students have already shown an interest in the Spring Fest activities and attending the concert, which is tentatively scheduled to last until 11 p.m.

He said the staff members have been promoting the concert as well as Spring Fest and people were coming in daily asking about Spring Fest and about getting tickets to the concert. He said the tickets are available in the lobby area of the Memorial Student Center.

Jessica A. Johnson, freshman member of CEU, said the tickets have been going quickly. "We've given out nearly 1,000 tickets; Wednesday we were down to 15 [tickets]," Johnson said. She said the CEU members received 500 more tickets Wednesday evening.

Hermansdorfer said about 100 people signed up on a waiting list for the concert tickets before the office had received them.

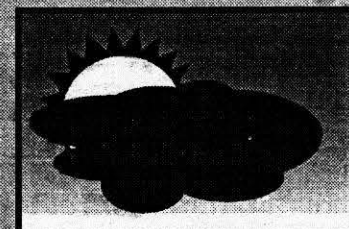
"The Verve Pipe" has produced two independent albums and is now under contract with RCA Records for its first major label release entitled "Villains," according to a press re-

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Greeks to compete in Saturday events

by BRIAN FORTENBAUGH
reporter

The week of classes may be over, but the busiest day of Greek Week is still to come.

Travis Samson, Greek Week chairman for Interfraternity Council, said Saturday will be the busiest day of Greek Week.

A tug-of-war match and three-legged race are scheduled for 10 a.m. at the Lefty Rollins Track. A football throw is scheduled for 11:15 a.m., Samson said. Greeks will compete in a softball throw at 11:45 a.m.

A comedy relay is scheduled for 12:15 p.m. and a limbo contest is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. At 2:30 p.m., the biathlon and bellyflop

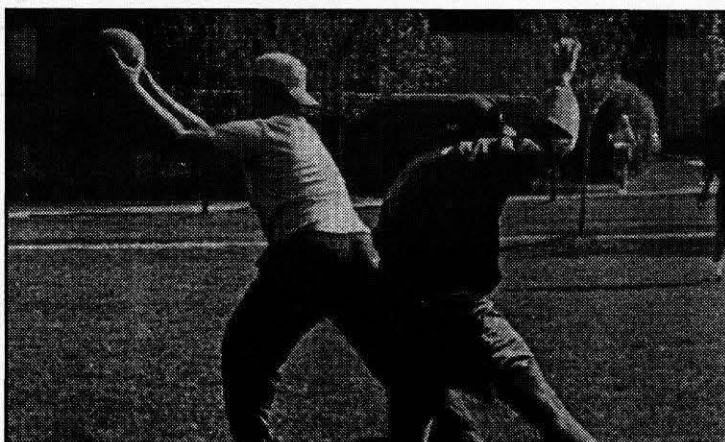
contests will take place at Gullickson Pool. Greeks will wrap up Saturday with a picnic scheduled for 4 p.m. at Buskirk Field, Samson said.

Two Greek Week events are scheduled for today. Samson said a service project is the first event on the agenda. At 6:30 p.m., Dave Westol will speak in the Cam Henderson Center.

Samson said 50 percent of each chapter must participate in the service project and attend Westol's speech to receive 100 participation points.

Fraternities and sororities focused on round ball for the third day of Greek Week activities Wednesday.

Allison Swick, graduate Greek adviser, said the National Panhellenic Coun-



Melissa Young

Fraternity men compete in kickball Tuesday at Buskirk Field.

cil won first place in the basketball event. Alpha Xi Delta sorority came in second, and Delta Zeta took third.

For the fraternities, Ome-

ga Psi Phi won first place. Alpha Sigma Phi came in second, and Alpha Tau Omega and Pi Kappa Alpha tied for third.

MU students reluctant to enroll in ISC

by VICENTE ALCANIZ
reporter

It's unusual, but some administrators are worried that too many students might want to take a class — the same class at the same time.

Students seem to be avoiding the Integrated Science Course (ISC) because of its math prerequisite.

Under the Marshall plan, the ISC is required for liberal arts, business and fine arts undergraduate students.

Donna J. Spindel, associate dean of the College of Liberal Arts, said ISC has been required for all freshmen since 1995.

Dr. Ralph Taylor, associate dean of the College of Science, said because ISC has a math prerequisite, some students are reluctant to take it.

He said students are required to make at least 18 points on the math part of the ACT and then take Math 121 or higher.

Taylor said he is concerned that students may be waiting until the last minute to take the course, and all will want to take ISC at the same time.

He said the college is encouraging students to sign up for ISC during advance fall registration beginning April 14. Taylor said the class has 240 seats available for fall.

"The concept of the ISC is to put science into reality in the everyday environment," Taylor said.

Spindel said students with questions about the course should contact their advisers.

Johnson returns to MU for lecture

by JACOB MESSER
reporter



Johnson

A Marshall alumna will speak in conjunction with the African-American Alumni Lecture Series at 6:30 p.m. Monday Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

Marilyn Johnson received her bachelor's degree in physical education and master's degrees in general education and curriculum development from Marshall.

The theme of her presentation will be "Preparing for Leadership in the 21st Century."

The lecture series is sponsored by the African-American Students' Programs Office.

Johnson, who is currently the business opportunity executive for retail wholesale industry marketing at IBM North America Headquarters, filled several leadership positions and was involved in many student activities while attending the university.

Johnson was an academic honor student, a member of the cheerleading squad, and a resident adviser. She was also a charter member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

She also participated in Black United Students, was Miss Huntington 1972 and worked as a news and weather reporter for WSAZ-TV.

The event is free and open to the public. Additional information may be obtained in the African-American Students' Programs Office at 696-6705 or visit the office at MSC 1W25.

Mufson chosen to receive medical achievement award

NYU names recipients of alumni health science award

by KAREEM W. SHORA
reporter

Awards for the School of Medicine and its faculty just keep coming.

Dr. Maurice A. Mufson, chairman of the Department of Medicine, will receive a major achievement award from the New York University School of Medicine Alumni Association Saturday, according to a medical school news release.

Dr. Saul J. Farber, provost and dean of the NYU School of Medicine, said Mufson was chosen to receive the Solomon A. Berson Medical Alumni Achievement Award in Health Science.

"Through this very distinctive and prestigious award, the [NYU] School of Medicine honors those alumni who embody the best in medical sciences and who inspire, through their achievement and character, those values which are held in the highest esteem by our profession," Farber.

The award's namesake pioneered the field of radioim-

munoassay, which led to significant progress in the basic sciences and clinical disciplines, according to a Marshall medical school news release.

"Throughout his career, Dr. Berson remained a creative thinker and dedicated physician," Farber wrote to Mufson.

"I am certain that he would have been proud to know that you have been selected as a recipient of the award that bears his name."

Beverly W. McCoy, director of public relations for Marshall's medical school, said Mufson is the founding chairman of the Department of Medicine established in 1976.

"We're truly delighted that he is being recognized for his achievements in medicine," McCoy said. "We are proud of Dr. Mufson for establishing an outstanding Department of Medicine here at Marshall."

Mufson has also done extensive research at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and at the Karolinska Institute in Sweden, McCoy



Mufson

said. "Dr. Mufson has published more than 150 papers in several scientific journals," McCoy said. "He has published papers in the Journal of the

American Medical Association [JAMA], one of the most prestigious journals in medicine."

The award will be presented at the NYU Medical Center as part of the school's Alumni Day activities.

Co-recipients of this year's award are Dr. Howard M. Grey, president and director of the LaJolla Institute for Allergy and Immunology in San Diego, and Dr. Lanny J. Rosenwasser, head of the division of allergy and clinical immunology at the National Jewish Medical and Research Center in Denver, according to information provided by the medical school.

Steinke and Julian speak on hostility

by REGINA FISHER
reporter

The common fear of speaking publicly about gay and lesbian issues was addressed Wednesday.

Barbara Steinke and Sue Julian, of the West Virginia Gay and Lesbian Coalition spoke during the 7 p.m. Pride Week seminar "Turning Verbal Conflict into an Opportunity for Dialogue" at the Alumni Lounge in the Memorial Student Center on Wednesday.

The speakers focused on the importance of understanding the need for social justice and the ways individuals could change society through active public speaking. "If we don't speak out then it creates a vacuum for those who oppose us to come and fill that space," Julian said.

Steinke said people often remain silent because they do not believe they will be able to make much of a difference.

"As individuals, we can create change but we don't have to create all the change," she said.

Julian said if the message becomes less aggressive in nature, the channels of communication will open up to understanding.

Steinke said when speaking publicly, individuals should try to focus on what is causing hostility and how to reduce it. "We need to keep in mind that some of the hostility comes from bad experiences or fear," she said.

Julian said there is a growing need to openly discuss gay and lesbian issues. "People are wanting to discuss these issues as it affects them in the community, in the Legislature and in their own lives — through their sons and daughters, who will be coming out to them," she said.

Speaking out on these issues is not easy, Steinke said, but it is necessary to promote social justice for all people.

"Because I believe so strongly in the issue, I just feel compelled to speak about it, but it isn't easy. It's really true what they say — practice helps."

Area children get into art

by **MELISSA D. CUPPETT**
reporter

They're having fun.

The 38 kids participating in the Art Opportunity program "On Target" are "really loving it," Linda Anderson, director of the program, said. The program takes place every spring.

Since March 1, children from kindergarten through the eighth grade have been meeting for two hours almost every Saturday on the sixth floor of Smith Hall to learn more about art, Anderson said. Their last class will be April 12, and the only Saturday they didn't meet was March 29.

The Art Opportunity program has been designed to reach students on every level, according to a news release. Classes were developed for each age group.

This year's program is giving students a chance to participate in a number of projects,

Anderson said. These include clay masks, collage works, cray-pas and oil pastel painting, linoleum-cut prints, larger paintings and mosaics. Students are also trying their hand at Picasso's art of choice, cubism.

The children are doing "wonderful" in their classes, Anderson said.

But they are not the only ones doing well.

"I'm really proud of what the teachers have done," Anderson said. Marshall art majors, two of whom are already certified to teach, are in charge of all the classes. Anderson said they are doing an excellent job, and are helping to make the program a successful one.

Work produced in the "On Target" classes will be displayed in an exhibit from 1 to 2:15 p.m. April 13 in the atrium on the ground floor of Smith Hall, according to the news release.

Students involved in the program include children from all over the Tri-State, including Ceredo, Chesapeake, Milton and Wayne, Anderson said.

Secondary school students show off thespian talents

by **MELISSA D. CUPPETT**
reporter

Students from 20 secondary schools will show off their thespian talents Thursday through Saturday as the West Virginia State Thespian Festival comes to Marshall, Edmund L. "Mike" Murphy, festival coordinator and technical director for the theater and dance department, said.

From 8 a.m. to midnight, students will share their talents in the Fine and Performing Arts Center and Memorial Student Center, Murphy said.

Winners of previous regional competitions will present their 14 winning plays and will be critiqued and evaluated in at least 16 categories,

Murphy said. Categories include scenery, costumes, lighting, stage management, puppets and public relations.

Showcasing the participants' work is the main focus of the event, Murphy said. Students do compete, however, and are ranked to decide who will move on to the national and international competitions.

Participants may also audition for a scholarship, Murphy said.

Scholarships and future festivals aside, there are still many aspects of the conference, Murphy said, that students will benefit from, including fellowship, fun, sharing ideas and receiving critiques.

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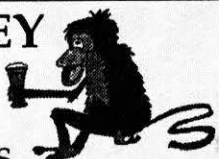
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Tri-State Regional Center for Sterilization offers low-cost services for pet owners

by **MELISSA A. ATKINS**
reporter

Pet owners can take advantage of a low-cost shot clinic for their dogs and cats Saturday at the Tri-State Regional Center for Sterilization (TRACS). TRACS is sponsoring the clinic from 1 to 5 p.m.

Donna Spencer, director of TRACS, said, "If a pet owner is unsure what their pet needs [in terms of shots], they should bring any records they have for that pet with them."

Spencer said there could be substantial savings for owners at the clinic. "Depending upon the vet, the cost of the

shots available could be considerably less for the pet owner," she said.

Pet owners can take advantage of a series of shots being offered such as a distemper combo shots for dogs and cats for \$10, feline leukemia shots for \$10 and a rabies shots for other pets for \$5. Spencer said no appointment is necessary because pets are taken on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Spencer said dogs should be on a leash or cats should be in a pet carrier for their safety.

Spencer said puppies and kittens need to be at least eight weeks old before they can be given shots and, thereafter, they need yearly boost-

ers.

TRACS also offers other services to pet owners such as low-cost spaying and neutering.

"If the owner is interested in having their pet either spayed or neutered they need to schedule an appointment, Spencer said." Fees for cats range from \$20 to \$40, and dogs range from \$40 to \$45.

"If the pet owner wants to get their pet either spayed or neutered, the cost includes a free rabies shot at the time of the surgery," Spencer said.

TRACS is owned and operated by Help For Animals, a local non-profit humane society, and is located at 3327 U.S. Route 60, East, Huntington.

For more information regarding TRACS and the services offered, pet owners may call 523-PAWS.



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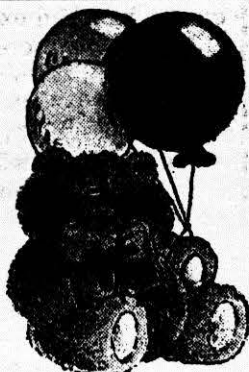
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One's time has passed the

Today Nawar Shora will bid farewell to the SGA presidency, and Matt Glover

Shora looks back

Student Body President Nawar Shora talks about the the accomplishments of his administration, his personal future and what he expects to see from SGA in the year to come

Walking into Student Body President Nawar Shora's office is much like going to visit an old friend. Visitors are greeted with a warm smile and a friendly hello.

Like most days, Shora is not alone in his office. Today he is talking to Eric Allman, chief of staff, and Travis Moore, student body vice-president.

"We need a 'stupid award' for Bev," Shora said with excitement. He is referring to the mock awards to be given out at Tuesday's senate meeting, the last of session 49. Shora's administration ends Friday, when Matt Glover, student body president elect, is sworn in. 'Bev' is Beverly Milam, special projects coordinator.

Shora took office April 4, 1996, with Jamie Ross serving as vice president. For personal reasons, Ross was unable to return to school for the spring semester, and was replaced with Moore.

Shora, who has been involved with student government throughout his college career, said, "I may be biased, but this is the best year that I have seen."

Shora said it was the small things his administration did that made a difference to students.

Projects such as decorating the Memorial Student Center after the football team won the NCAA I-AA championship, sponsoring "Finals Break" during exam week for students, and Meet Your Senator Day.

"I really believe this session we have served Marshall," Shora said.

Some of the larger projects Shora's administration took on were having Chick-fil-A open a restaurant in the student center, participating in plans for student center reno-

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— Nawar Shora, SGA president

ventions, working toward having course evaluations published and eliminating the "WP/WF" period.

"Course evaluations will have the biggest impact on students," Shora said. He said the publication of course evaluations was a campaign promise. Although the proposal has not been formally approved, Shora said he hopes it will become a reality by the end of the academic year.

"Having course evaluations published has been a goal of students for years," Shora said.

A step toward having faculty evaluations published was collecting all syllabi for every class. The syllabi will be placed in the library for students to view.

"There has not been a single project I worked on this year where I thought 'Oh god, when is this going to be

over?'" Shora said. "I have enjoyed working on all of them."

Moore said he most enjoyed working on the 1974 plane crash memorial service because he could see the direct impact it had on families, and tell how appreciative they were.

Many of Shora's projects required him to work closely with the faculty who he described as "wonderful" to work with. He said working with the faculty helped to increase communication and understanding between the administration and student government. "Dr. Gilley is extremely student focused," he said. "He was always available."

Shora said another part of establishing strong communication between student government and students was to emphasize an open-door policy.

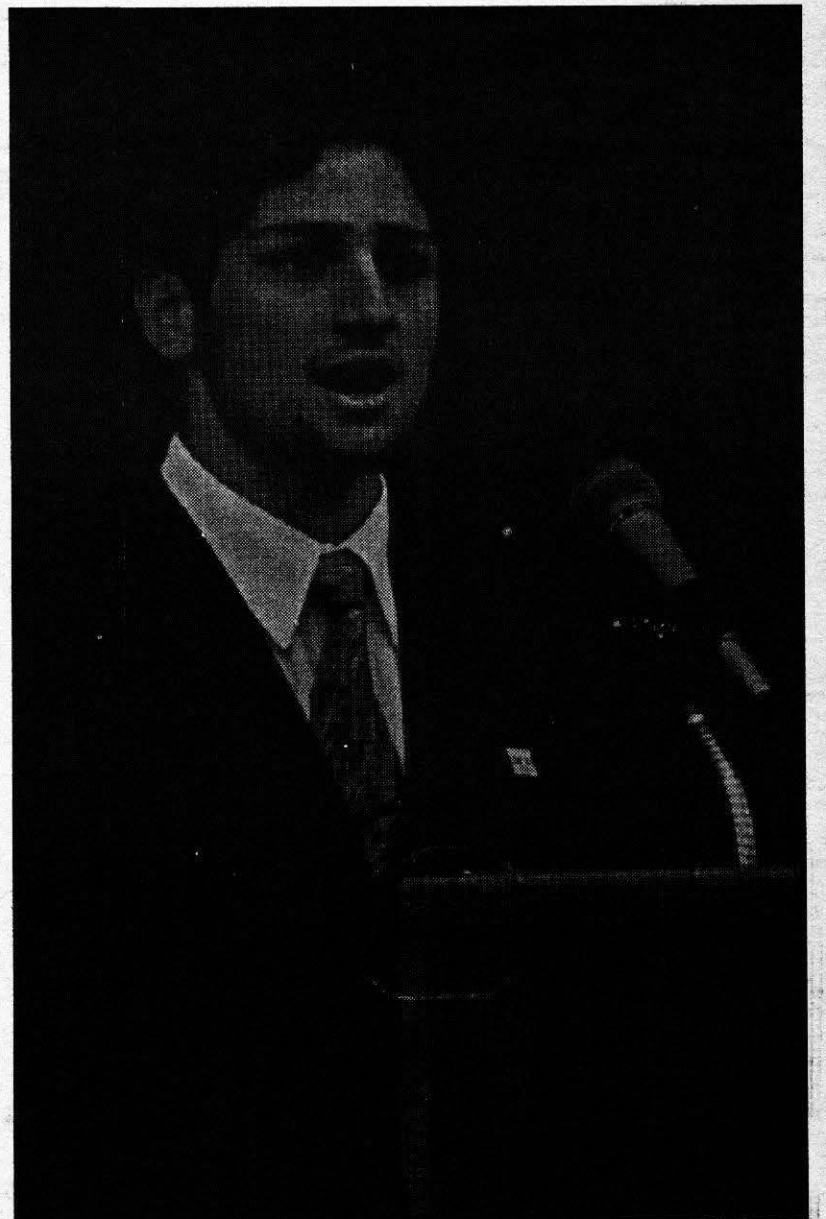
"On a number of occasions students have just walked in [to the Student Government office] with questions and comments," Moore said.

Allman said he has similar experiences when sitting in class.

"I get the impression people lean toward the idea of apathy," he said. "But I hear people talking about [Student Government] all the time. People are becoming more aware and responsive."

Shora said when he became involved in Student Government his freshman year, there were only four Senate Associates. "Now we have more associates than we have senators," he said.

When asked about the new administration, Shora said they will have to work harder because they are starting with a tarnished image and they



will have to prove themselves.

"They have a lot of good but unrealistic ideas," Shora said. He said Glover should work toward increasing the library hours, but the idea of increasing scholarships would have been done already if it was possible.

"The school would give everyone a scholarship if they could afford to," he said.

Shora's executives said they give him a lot of credit for

this year's success.

"Nawar is a model leader," Angela Copen, co-public relations director said.

Moore said this year was one of opportunity to serve the students and grow as a leader. "It was an honor and a privilege to serve with Nawar," he said.

After graduation, Shora said he plans to spend some time abroad and then study law at Ohio State in the fall.

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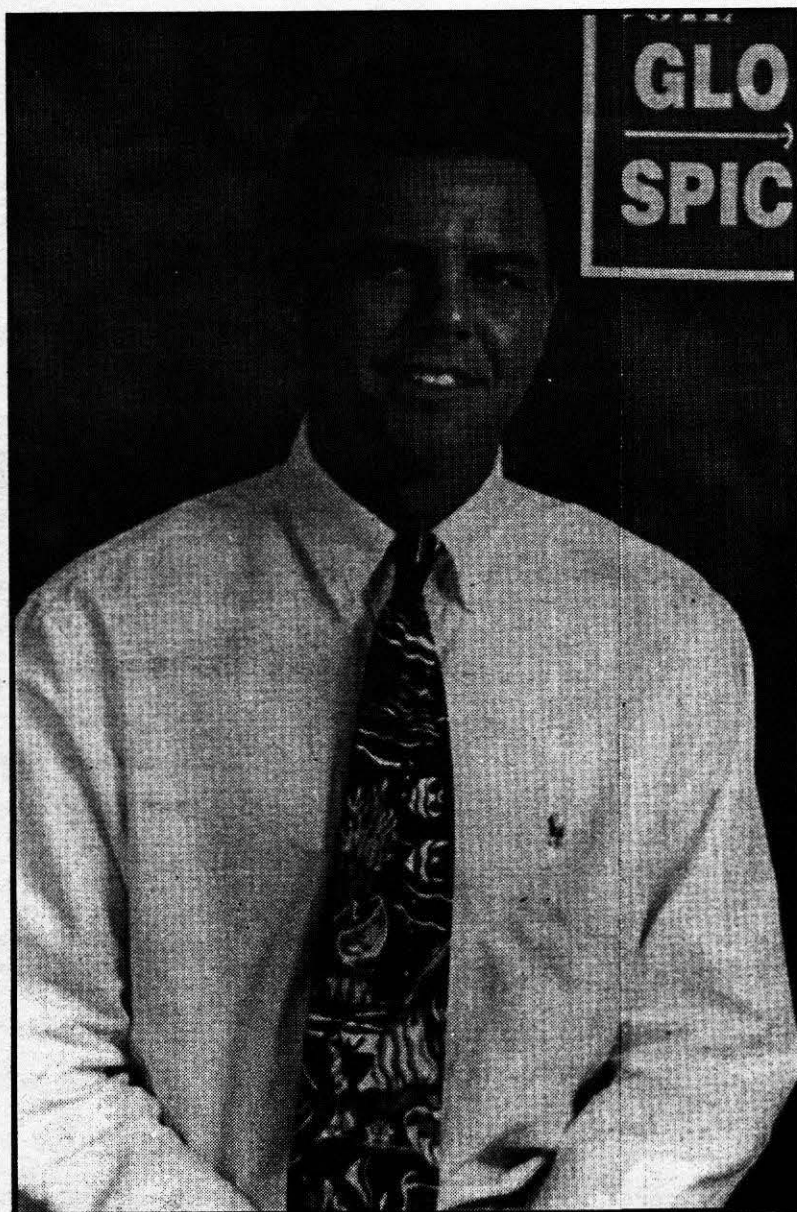
Matt Glover will begin the process of launching a new administration

Glover says he has work cut out for him

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Raymond Matthew Glover will be sworn in Friday night to serve as Marshall's 1997-98 Student Body President, and said he knows he has his work cut out for him.

"I realized more people voted against J.J. [Spicheck] and I then for us," Glover said. He said this realization is what prompted him to develop a cabinet with as many different ideas as possible.

Glover said if the Student

Senate gives their approval, his executives will be: Shay-na B. Chapman, Gallipolis senior, chief of staff; Amy V. Durrah, Glendale sophomore, and Megan R. Daniels, Huntington junior, co-public relations directors; Brandi D. Jacobs, Whitehall sophomore, project coordinator; and Kevin M. Southall, Sissonville sophomore, Greek coordinator.

Greek coordinator is a new position Glover said he devel-

oped to help strengthen the relationship between Student Government and Greeks.

Glover said his first priority is to meet with President J. Wade Gilley to discuss having library hours extended for dead and exam weeks. Glover said there is not enough time to put a bill through the senate, but he thinks if he talks to Gilley, it will be approved.

"Students are concerned about the library hours," Glover said. "I think it is a worthwhile cause."

Glover said his first project will be a combined effort with Student Government and other campus organizations. He plans to help build a home for a Residence Services employee who lost her house. He said the employee applied to Habitat for Humanity for help, but it will be a while before she gets it. Glover said they will work on the house the last two Fridays in April.

"I think it's important for Student Government to look out for others in the Marshall community," he said. "I think it will be a good first project for Student Government."

In the fall, Glover said he hopes to have the library hours extended permanently if there is enough money in the budget.

"My goal is to get the things accomplished that we and the students have in mind," Glover said. "I have a lot of excitement about getting involved with this position."

Glover, who has not had previous senate experience, said many senators just don't know him, and one of his first priorities is to improve his relationship with the senate.

"I think a lot of them are just unclear about who I am," he said.

Glover has had some controversy in the last couple of

"But soon students will make up their mind about Matt Glover. Was he the man who got the arrest citation, or was he the man who did a lot for Marshall University?"

— Matt Glover,
SGA president-elect

months after receiving an arrest citation for buying alcohol for minors. He said being honest about the situation helped his credibility.

"Right now, that is all they have seen of me," he said. "But soon students will make up their mind about Matt Glover. Was he the man who got the arrest citation, or was he the man who did a lot for Marshall University?"

An item on Glover's platform was to bring in concerts for students. He said the Project Coordinator will begin working on it soon. Glover said he would like to see Billy Crystal, who attended Marshall, come and do a benefit concert. He said some of the money raised would be used for a new scholarship fund, which was another idea from his platform.

■ **BILL**

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male said he knows the WVGC merger with Marshall University is a concern to faculty and staff at both institutions. "But we must keep the focus on education," he said.

Rod B. Blackstone, press secretary at the Governor's office, said, "According to the summary of the bill about the merger, the name for the new school is the Marshall University Graduate College."

Also on the agenda, House speaker Robert S. Kiss gave the football and women's basketball teams an honorary

certificate.

Wyatt said that talking to Plymale and Hubbard gave Marshall visibility.

"Our visibility let the key members of the legislature know the issues some of us are concerned about," he said.

"The issues discussed with Senator Plymale have an impact on students because tuition breaks for faculty and staff family members will result in less turnover, therefore students receive better teaching," Wyatt said.

Next year Wyatt would like Marshall's day at the Legislature to be earlier in the session and hopefully have more students involved in the issues.

■ **EXPAND**

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said. Master Mechanical specializes in the removal of asbestos products.

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He said one of the first crews on the site to remove the asbestos will be from Ma-

ster Mechanical. Then Childers will take over.

The nine- to 12-month construction project will add 7,000 square feet to the first floor level of the bookstore.

Work is planned to begin this spring and is being paid by profits from the sale of the bookstore to Follet College Stores.

The curving look of the addition will complement the curves of the new library and the fine arts building, and blend with the overall look of the campus, Welty said.

■ **BAND**

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lease from the Arts Management Group Inc. "The Freshman," a single from that album, is on the Billboard Charts, according to the press release.

The group consists of lead vocalist and guitarist Brian Vander Ark, drummer Donny Brown, guitarist A.J. Dunning, keyboardist Doug Corolla and bass guitarist Brad Vander Ark.

According to a news release from Media Promotion Enterprises, the company responsible for production of the concert, the band performed as the opening act for the reunion tour of the band K.I.S.S. at Madison Square Garden.

Hermansdorfer said the



The alternative band "The Verve Pipe," from East Lansing, Mich., will perform at the Huntington Civic Arena Monday.

concert will be reserved seating rather than festival seating, which means those attending will be required to sit in the seat with the number designated on their ticket.

"If we run out of tickets, we can just go back and get some more," Hermansdorfer said. "I think this is going to be a very good show."

Student tickets are available free of charge at the ticket table in the MSC or by contacting the Office of Student Activities. Students are permitted to purchase one additional ticket for \$5, Hermansdorfer said. All other tickets cost \$10 and are available at the Civic Arena box office and Ticketmaster locations.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 11

5 p.m. "Being a Gay or Lesbian Couple" with Debra L. Dunkle, LISW, a counselor who specializes in gay and lesbian clients and their unique issues. Erickson Alumni Center

7 p.m. "Hate Crimes" with Scott Britton, of the WV Gay and Lesbian Coalition Erickson Alumni Center

9 p.m. Film - *La Cage aux Folles* Erickson Alumni Center

SATURDAY, APRIL 12

9 a.m. a "Homosocial Women's Literature: An overview" with Amy Hudock, Asst. Professor of English at Marshall

b. Campus Tour Come see the gay side of Marshall's campus

10 a.m. a. "Hints on Coming Out" with Julia Hagen, President of the WV Southern Chapter of PFLAG

b. "History of Same Sex Unions & Their Meaning" with Pastor Karen Dickman of MCC, Charlottesville, Va

11 a.m. a. "Insurance and the Sexual Minority" with Craig Ruthsatz of Nationwide Insurance, Lakewood, Oh

b. "Hate Crimes & Your Legal Options" with Paul Sheridan, Senior Asst. Attorney General in the Civil Rights Division of the State of WV

NOON Lunch with MOM, a brown bag lunch with Rhea Murray, a signature speaker & other PFLAG parents.

1 p.m. a. Lunch with MOM (cont)

b. Artist Reception - Come & meet & talk with the artists behind the Sexual Minority Art Exhibition

2 p.m. a. "Counseling the Sexual Minority" with Roger Keener, Assoc Professor of Counseling at MU.

b. "Gender Activism" with Dawn Wilson, a signature speaker

3 p.m. Doug Hees, a signature speaker and Southern Region Organizer with the Human Rights Campaign

4 p.m. a. "Estate Planning" with Barbara Dickman, a stockbroker with Beaconsfield Financial Services, Inc.

b. Campus Tour

5 p.m. Deb Price, a signature speaker, and the first nationally syndicated gay columnist to write on gay issues

6:15 p.m. Pride Dinner/Dance Reservations necessary.

THANK YOU

The Marshall Lambda Society would like to Thank everyone who made Pride Week 1997 possible especially

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Baseball snowed out

by **NAWAR W. SHORA**
reporter

It may be spring, but that does not mean nature cannot act like it is still winter.

The Marshall University baseball team was supposed to play against Youngstown State University Wednesday, but the game was snowed out.

Coach Craig Antush said Youngstown's coach called him and canceled the game Wednesday morning.

"It was a not only because of a dusting of snow, but the temperature was in the low 30's also," Antush said. The game will not be made up.

The Herd will travel southeast this weekend to play three conference games against the Furman Paladins in Greenville, S.C.

"I feel very good about this weekend. They [Furman] have seven wins and 11 losses in the conference and we have four wins and eleven losses, so I feel very good," Antush said.

Marshall has not yet played Furman this year. The team will play a double-header Saturday starting at noon.

A third game against the Paladins will be played Sunday starting at 1 p.m.

The Herd is coming off a loss against the University of Kentucky Tuesday. The team lost 4-9.

Antush said he hopes that after the loss to Kentucky, the Herd can get back on its feet and beat Furman.

He said if the Southern Conference tournament was held today, Marshall would still qualify. However, the tournament is not until April 24.

Antush said the three games against Furman could really make a difference for the Herd.

Marshall's overall record is currently 6-29, but with 11 games to go anything is still possible.

Softball team sweeps UTC

The Marshall University softball team took both games of a double-header against the Southern Conference top ranked Chattanooga Mocs Thursday.

With the wins, the Herd improved its record to 27-19 overall and 6-4 in the conference. The Herd won the first game 5-4, after scoring three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning.

In the second game of the twin bill, Marshall shut-out the Mocs 3-0. The two teams will play in another double-header today at noon.



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Life!

The search is on

Adoptees seek answers

Reporter Michelle Martin recently completed her search for her birth mother. She shares her experiences and offers tips from experts for those looking for their birth parents including how to use the Internet and what books and organizations aid in the hunt.

Wednesday in Life!



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the Parthenon

It can't happen to me

When it comes to safe sex and STDs, naivete will get you nowhere

"It can happen to college students. You don't have to be old to die, and that's a scary thought."

"It" is a sexually transmitted disease, and the scary experience has happened twice to "Kelli," a Marshall student who does not want her real name revealed.

Kelli said she is one of those who believed, "It can never happen to me."

"I remember when I was a junior in high school, one of my teachers had been absent for a few days. When she came back, she told us that she had been to visit one of her friends in the hospital. He was dying of AIDS."

"She told us that she hoped none of us would have to experience watching someone we know die with this disease," Kelli said.

"At the time, I honestly thought that I would not know anyone like that, or that I would not be that person."

In the four years that Kelli has been at Marshall, she said she has had two curable sexually transmitted diseases, had sexual relations with two people who later contracted herpes, taken two AIDS tests, and known one friend to die from AIDS-related complications. All of these people, she said, were Marshall students.

Dr. Kari D. Metcalf, first year-resident and family practice at the University Student Health Center, said, "Most students don't know all they should about STDs, and AIDS."

Kelli said her experiences began when she was a freshman. "I went to the Student Health Center for a check-up, and two weeks later, they called

me."

Kelli had chlamydia, which is a curable sexually transmitted disease that occasionally does not show any symptoms, Metcalf said.

"Student health gave me a week's worth of antibiotics, and I was cured. I didn't think about it that much again," Kelli said.

The next year, Kelli said she received a phone call that scared her. "One of my ex-partners told me he thought he had herpes, and that it was possible that I had given it to him," Kelli

said, did not last very long. "I noticed these pimple-like growths on my upper thighs, and other areas. The first thing I thought was herpes," Kelli said.

She said that after multiple tests, the physicians said she had molluscum contagiosum.

"What is molluscum contagiosum? I still don't know myself, and this happened over two years ago. There's very little information out about this STD, but I had convinced myself it was just the same as herpes," Kelli said.

work. I had an outbreak for almost a year before it finally went away," Kelli said.

"It is gone," she said. "I haven't had an outbreak in two years, and the last two doctors I've been to see have eased my mind. They said babies get molluscum from diapers. And, recently in the Herald-Dispatch, they said molluscum could be contracted from leg presses in a gym, like athlete's foot," Kelli said.

She said her relief is not the same as when her chlamydia was cured. She said she thinks she's wiser and smarter now.

"Things like STDs, AIDS, and death can happen to normal, well-behaved college students. Recently, I've had a friend die from AIDS. I saw him deteriorate. I don't want that to ever happen to me," Kelli said.

"I wish I could say I had an excuse for my recklessness in the past. I don't. It wasn't an alcoholic or a drug-induced stupor that caused me to be reckless. I was just stupid. I never thought it could happen to me, even after it happened to me," Kelli said.

Kelli has had two AIDS tests. She said the last was taken after she had been in a monogamous sexual relationship for more than six months. She has had no recurrence of any STDs, she said.

"I consider myself free and clear for the moment, and I plan never to purposely put myself in a position where my health would be in danger again."

"I have realized that disease, and death can happen to anyone at anytime. Life is precious; you shouldn't purposely try to end it."

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— 'Kelli'

Marshall student who has had two curable STDs

said.

Kelli said she found out that the first person she had sex with had contracted herpes. "He told me about this guy, and said he thought it was possible that I had contracted this disease the first time I had ever had sex," Kelli said.

"I couldn't believe that one little mistake my freshman year could change the rest of my life," Kelli said. "I was lucky though, extremely lucky. The doctors gave me a clean bill of health."

This clean bill of health, Kelli

Metcalf described molluscum contagiosum as "little bitty skin-colored bumps that are usually sexually transmitted." She also said that little kids can get this disease from each other, but they would have to engage in very close contact.

Kelli said she felt panic. "My life was over. I couldn't look at a man without thinking I was dirty and unclear. I couldn't get rid of the sores because of my stress level," she said.

"I tried having them surgically removed, and burned off with liquid nitrogen. Nothing would

by Melissa M. Scott